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To keep down the obituaries in this paper, keep off thin ice.

W. Morgan Shuster, the erstwhile American, is now a Persian lamb.

It is no joke when the comic supplements are attacked, as in Boston at present.

There are a few more cities in China yet to fall, but none more softly than delicate Nanking.

Someone please put a curb on William J. Burns. Although he is a great detective, self-praise will not show it.

Dartmouth didn't beat Harvard but continues to rake in the shekels—\$200,000 at one rake. College isn't all football victories.

Dillingham of Vermont, with his years of experience, ought to take position as one of the most reliable men of the Senate. Frequent resignations of others are causing him to be one of the veterans of that body.

The newspapers both within and without the state have noticed the shooting episode at Stowe and Johnson last week.—Morrisville Messenger.

Furthermore, they have noticed that no one has been brought to time for the occurrences.

Lest there be some mistake, it ought to be stated that the White River Junction Landmark still stands stronger than ever; it is the White River Junction landmark that was wiped out by fire the other day. A difference in the size of the letter makes a great difference in the meaning.

There hasn't been such a chance in a long while for some big men to be developed in Congress. Most of the near-big men are now engaged in looking after higher office and are really too busy to serve the country in their best capacity. Therefore, a few men with real ability and without political ambition beyond their present station can do wonders with legislation.

The Barre Times thinks that legislators might get along without paying a salary to clergymen acting as chaplains. Well, at first thought this might be done; but very often legislators retain lawyers to help them about some job, and pay a good sum for the same, and the work is not half as hard and trying as it is for a minister to pray for a legislature. The chaplain has a hard time of it and the pay shouldn't be begrudged him.—Morrisville News and Citizen.

Three minutes every morning and plenty to pray for at that. Is that a hard job?

Fully as much excitement is being stirred up over the election of commander of the Vermont department, Grand Army of the Republic, as there is about the state election. Albert A. Niles of Morrisville has been presented as a candidate for the position, and some of the newspapers are calling upon Gov. Mead to do the "manly" thing and withdraw from the contest in favor of Mr. Niles. Why not let the members of the department have the deciding voice as to whom they want for commander, without going through this newspaper process of elimination? It is largely an organization affair and has confined interests because of that.

DEMANDS FOR THE FULL PENALTY

In the bitterness of feeling at having been so grossly misled, some men who are prominent in labor union circles are demanding that the fullest penalty of the law be inflicted on the McNamara brothers who confessed to great crimes out in Los Angeles. Full penalty of the law means hanging for James B. McNamara and life imprisonment for John J. McNamara. After further consideration of the situation, those same leaders who now demand hanging for the one and life imprisonment for the other self-confessed criminal will probably recede from their hastily reached position. Awful as was the crime of blowing up the newspaper office in Los

MONEY IS A NECESSITY

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Angeles, which resulted in the death of twenty-one men, there is yet the possibility that murder was not in the hearts of the men who placed the explosive near the Los Angeles Times building, that their intention was rather to destroy property and that unforeseen circumstances, developed by the nature of the property damage, resulted in the terrible human casualty list. If such were really the case, one would hesitate to hang James B. McNamara and the coterie of men who were engaged in the nefarious work with him, as it seems almost certain that he was not alone. Therefore, let us take a more calm view of the case.

CURRENT COMMENT

Proof of Fitness.

The new White House secretary is from Vermont. This is proof of fitness.—Concord, N. H., Patriot.

Sen. Wetmore's Wide Renown.

Senator Wetmore's announcement that he will not be a candidate for re-election hasn't been properly noted, perhaps. Yes, he is from Rhode Island, and after 15 years of service in the Senate he is known from one end of the state to the other.—Springfield, Mass., Republican.

Price of Horses in Vermont.

A census bulletin shows that the average price of mature horses in Vermont is \$108.79; in New Hampshire \$124.06; in Massachusetts, \$135.92; in Maine, \$136 and in Rhode Island, \$149.52. While Vermont has been noted for its horses in the past, it is at the foot of the list in New England. At the same time Vermont farmers and lumbermen are paying more than twice the average price for the kind of horses they want from the West. But we will not preach to them because the progressive farmer will see before we could tell him what should be done and the unprogressive farmer is beyond the effects of preaching.—St. Johnsbury Caledonian.

To Develop the Wells River Valley.

Every section of Vermont is awakening to increased business activity and looking for ways and means for further progress. The only practical way to bring this about is by utilizing the materials and developing the resources at our own door.

In looking to the development of the Wells River valley there should be a united effort in the work of opening up the granite industry here. The quarrying and manufacturing of granite in this valley is being successfully carried on but it needs more business in this line to make the progress there ought to be here. To do this, more capital must be invested, more energy put in force and more united action on the part of local business men. The millions of Vermont money that has been sunk in western "booms" had it been invested in developing the state's granite hills, water power, farming and other natural resources, would have proved safe investments and a source of sure income. Now, is an opportune time for Vermont capital to develop Vermont enterprises and no more favorable opportunity is offered than here in the Wells River valley. The water power in this valley is being turned into electric current, and quarrying and manufacturing granite here now has the benefit of modern appliances.

The industrial progress of the Wells River valley rests on the development of its granite and this can only be brought about by increased capital and increased effort.—Groton Times.

"To Advertise Vermont."

Speaking of booming Vermont, the St. Johnsbury Caledonian is led to suggest that the editor of each Vermont newspaper in his Thanksgiving issue publish something about that which he considers the best opportunity for investment and development in his town or county. After this has been done then does the Caledonian further propose that all newspapers that can do so publish all the articles that may appear.

The idea is a good one, for what will advance the welfare of one town will advance the welfare of the entire state. The larger White River Junction becomes, as a trading center, the more varied its commercial interests, and the more people that come to live within its town limits the better will be the material welfare of all the people and interests in all that territory of which it is the natural center. As a help to this growth and to impart information

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respecting the opportunities that abound in White River Junction, The Landmark will say that an urgent present need is a department store of the most modern and comprehensive type. The people for miles around come to White River Junction to trade, its out of town patrons are of continuously increasing numbers, and to the end that all this may not only continue but keep on increasing, new factors of trade must be added without cessation. A down to date department store has every chance to prosper and expand here in White River Junction.

As respects improvement and development, the one paramount need is the removal of the county seat from Woodstock to White River Junction. Such realization would infuse new life and vigor in all sections of the county, which to-day has 7,000 less population than it had 80 years ago, and only seven men in each 100 in the county attend church, and we fear this condition will continue as long as the shire town is Woodstock. A man to get to Woodstock must first come to White River Junction, and in view of this fact then it is but the part of wisdom to have the county seat here. There is utter lack of community of interest between Woodstock and the other towns of the county, while as between White River Junction and all other towns of the county there is the same warm, harmonious, and cheering heart beat.—White River Junction Landmark.

DANCE

Don't forget the dance given by the Montpelier Military Band and Orchestra at the

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EXTENSION AND SMALL TABLES

Twenty-five iron beds, 25 National and woven wire springs, 25 mattresses, all new. Large lot new pillows. Four large mirrors, two oval, usually sold from \$10.00 to \$12.00. Six mirrors at \$5.00 each. Six at \$4.00. Six at \$2.50. Twelve at \$2.00. Twenty-four all sizes and prices.

One hundred Framed Pictures in large variety, and many attractive and seasonable articles suitable for Christmas.

We wish to take this opportunity to correct the impression that all goods at the City Auction Rooms are second-hand. This is not the case. Every article enumerated above is brand new and recently consigned, and will be sold at auction or at private sale.

We also have at all times an endless variety of second-hand goods.

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JINGLES AND JESTS

The Creed of the Wood.

A whiff of forest scent,
Balsam and fern,
Won from dreary mood
My heart's return,
From its discontent,
Joy's run-away,
To the sweet, wise wood
And the laughing day.

Simple as dew and gleam
Is the creed of the wood;
The Beautiful gave us life,
And life is good.
Be the world but a dream,
Let the world go shod
With peace, not strife,
For the Dreamer is God.

—Katharine Lee Bates, in Suburban Life for December.

The Latest Version.

Mary had a little lamb—
I read it in a book—
They thought she did not need it, so
Away the lamb they took.

When Mary got it back again
From a Chicago shop,
She had to pay about two bits
For every little chop.

"Leave me the wool at least," said she.
But echo answered, "Nay;
That part of it is tangled up
Somewhere in Schedule K."

—Washington Star.

In China.

The little Manchus, going out to dine,
Cook slipped the prussic, and then there were nine;

Nine little Manchus, headed for a fete,
Met a bunch of rebels, and then there were eight;

Eight little Manchus—sort of royal leaven—
Palace tumbled over, and then there were seven;

Seven little Manchus, using chop sticks,
Waiter swung a hatchet, and then there were six;

Six little Manchus, glad they were alive,
One of 'em was captured, making—let's see—five;

Five little Manchus, locked the cellar door,
Some one found a window, and then there were four;

Four little Manchus, each on bended knee,
One wasn't needed, and then there were three;

Three little Manchus, in an awful stew—
Boiling oil composed it—and then there were two;

Two little Manchus, both upon the run,
Couldn't reach the fortress, and then there was one;

One little Manchu, age not far from nine,
Writing out a message meaning, "I resign."

—Denver Republican.

Debutante Life Lesson.

There, little girl, don't cry!
They have taken your doll, 'tis true;
But they're planning clothes,
Cottons, and beads,
And grown-up parties for you.
Your love for dolls will soon pass by—
There, little girl, don't cry!

There, little girl, don't cry!
They have taken your slate, 'tis true;
But you'll spend your days
In the rainbow haze
Of functions all held for you.
And school-slate problems will be
Sponged dry.

There, little girl, don't cry!
They have taken your doll, 'tis true;
But you're coming out,
And without a doubt
Prince Charming will come to you,
Bringing the romance for which you sigh—
There, little girl, don't cry!

—Judge.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Regular communication of Summit lodge, No. 104, F. and A. M., Wednesday, Dec. 6, at 7:30 p. m. All members are requested to be present, as there is important business to be transacted. The trustees should be present without fail.

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